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GLADIOLUS BULBS

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BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY
Fruit and Vegetable Crops and Diseases.

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SPRING BULLETIN, 1936



AS usual, our Gladiolus bulbs are guaranteed clean, healthy and true to name; anything proving otherwise will be replaced. However, the results you will obtain are so entirely up to you that we cannot hold ourselves responsible for same. Carrying charges prepaid on all orders amounting to \$1.00 or over. Please send cash with order. Orders accepted subject to stock unsold.

We are offering the following discounts in bulbs of your own choice:

5% on orders up to \$5.00

10% on orders \$5.00 to \$15.00

15% on orders over \$15.00

Let us give you a quotation on larger orders; also on smaller sizes in quantities not offered in the list.

Thrips

1. Keep a little naphthalene (tar camphor flakes, or moth balls) among the bulbs at all times in storage.
2. Soak in some insecticidal solution before planting. Bichloride of Mercury will do.
3. It is better to begin spraying before infestation starts. Use any good plant spray as directed. We have heard of the success of a solution of brown sugar and Paris green.
4. Burn all infested flower spikes.
5. Burn the plant tops after digging.

Our Own Introductions

Devon. Palest rose pink, with small feather of bright rose in the throat. Strong straight spike, well above medium height; flowers large, 8 to 10 open at once, with perfect placement.

Large bulbs, \$4 ea.—Medium bulbs, \$2 ea.

Small bulbs, \$1 ea.—Bulblets, 50c ea.; 10 for \$4

Pink Crepe. Upper petals clear flesh pink, blending gradually into the pure cream white of the lower petals. The only throat markings are a few dotted lines of deep red. The shape of the flowers is distinctive with the edges of the petals slightly ruffled. The stem is slender and always straight, placement of flowers is perfect. A very beautiful variety of delicate coloring, which does not fade or droop in the sun.

Large bulbs, \$4 ea.—Medium bulbs, \$2 ea.

Small bulbs, \$1 ea.—Bulblets, 50c ea.; 10 for \$4

Tiny. A miniature type. Flowers about 1 1/2 inches across. Color, white, blending to pink on edges of petals, which are laciniated. Spike of medium height, stiff and straight. This variety lends itself to small artistic decorations where the larger varieties could not be used. It has created much favorable comment.

Large bulbs, 25c ea.; Doz., \$2.50

Medium bulbs, 10c ea.; Doz., \$1.00

GLADIOLUS

List of Varieties

| | Large Bulbs | Medium Bulbs |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------|
| Aflame. | Giant flaming red. | |
| Aida. | Early deep blue. | |
| Albatross. | Large pure white. | |
| Angel's Dream. | La France pink. | |
| Apricot Glow. | Early. Apricot. | |
| Ave Maria. | Large light blue. | |
| Bagdad. | Large smoky rose. | |
| Betty Snow. | Lavender pink. | |
| Betty Nuthall. | Coral pink. | |
| Bill Sowden. | Deep blood red. | |
| Blue Danube. | Good light blue. | |
| Canberra. | Tall yellow. | |
| Cardinal Prince. | Cardinal red. | |
| Carmen Sylva. | White. | |
| Champlain. | Early light blue. | |
| Commander Koehl. | Deep red. | |
| Crimson Glow. | Bright red. | |
| Debonair. | La France pink. Tall. | |
| Devon. | Pale pink with blotch. | |
| Dr. F. E. Bennett. | Scarlet. | |
| Dr. Nelson Shook. | Tyrian rose. | |
| Duna. | Light buff pink. | |
| Edith Robson. | Blotched salmon. | |
| Emile Aubrun. | Smoky rose. | |
| Evensong. | Smoky. | |
| Giant Nymph. | Good pale pink. | |
| Gloriana. | Beautiful salmon. | |
| Gold Eagle. | Early yellow. | |
| Golden Cup. | Deep yellow. | |
| Golden Dream. | Tall, deep yellow. | |

| | Large Bulbs | Medium Bulbs | Large Bulbs | Medium Bulbs |
|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Heavenly Blue. | Fine light blue. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | Ea., \$4.00 |
| Helen Wills. | Ivory white. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | Ea., \$1.00 |
| Hercules. | Buff, very large. | Ea., 75c | Ea., 50c | Ea., \$2.00 |
| Hinemoa. | Odd deep rose. | Ea., 12c; Doz., \$1.25 | Ea., 10c; Doz., 75c | 5 for 15c; Doz., 30c |
| Inspiration. | Ruffled rose salmon. | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 | Ea., 10c; Doz., \$1.00 | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Janet. | Old rose, tinged brown. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | Ea., 10c; Doz., \$1.00 |
| Jonkheer van Tets. | Large white. | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| King Arthur. | Large rosy lavender. | Ea., 25c | Ea., 15c | Ea., 10c |
| La Paloma. | Early orange. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 50c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Los Angeles. | Pink. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 50c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 30c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Loyalty. | Good yellow. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Maid of Orleans. | White. | Ea., 12c; Doz., \$1.10 | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c |
| Mammoth White. | Large white. | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c | 2 for 10c; Doz., 50c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Marmorata. | Smoky gray. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c |
| Marnia. | Orange. | 2 for 10c; Doz., 50c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 30c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Mary Elizabeth. | Ruffled white. | Ea., 25c | Ea., 20c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c |
| Minuet. | Best lavender. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 |
| Mother Machree. | Soft smoky. | Ea., 10c; Doz., 75c | 2 for 10c; Doz., 50c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Mrs. F. C. Hornberger. | White. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 20c |
| Mrs. Galbraith. | Salmon. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Mrs. John R. Walsh. | Pink and scarlet. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c |
| Mrs. Leon Douglas. | Best tall salmon. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Mrs. P. W. Sisson. | Cameo pink. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c |
| Mrs. T. E. Langford. | Pink and cream. | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 | Ea., 10c; Doz., \$1.00 | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Mrs. van Konynenburg. | Dark blue. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Nancy Hanks. | Orange. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 30c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Netherland Prince. | Salmon pink. | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 | Ea., 10c; Doz., \$1.00 | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Orange Wonder. | Orange. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Osalin. | Coral orange. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c |
| Pelegrina. | Deepest blue. | Ea., 15c; Doz., \$1.50 | Ea., 10c; Doz., \$1.00 | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Paul Pfizer. | Red purple. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Pearl of California. | Delicate pink. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Pfizer's Triumph. | Large salmon. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| Picardy. | Sensational new salmon. | 2 for 12c; Doz., 60c | 4 for 15c; Doz., 35c | 2 for 15c; Doz., 75c |
| | | Mixture | 40 for \$1.00; \$2.00 per 100 | 30 for \$1.00; \$2.50 per 100 |
| | | Exhibition Collection | | |

Hardy Garden Chrysanthemums

Pink Dandy. Bright pink pompon.

Scarlet Beauty. Deep red, late.

Skibo. Early, yellow pompon.

Ea. 10c, 10 for 80c.

Korean Chrysanthemum. Single white flushed with pink.

Ea. 15c, 10 for \$1.25.

Hybrid Korean Chrysanthemums

Extremely hardy plants with single flowers. The colors of these large flowers cannot be easily described. They are produced in profusion and are fine for cutting.

Apollo. Blend of bronze, red and gold.

Ceres. Blend of old gold, pale yellow, and soft bronze.

Daphne. Soft daphne pink.

Diana. Rose pink with soft salmon.

Mars. Deep red, large.

Ea. 25c, 10 for \$2.25.

One of each of the five Korean hybrids for
\$1.10.

Three of each for **\$3.00.**